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SIR:

In response to the restriction and an election of species requirement mailed August 30, 2006, Applicants provisionally elect, with traverse, the invention of Group III, and the species tert-butyl 2-[N-[5-chloro-4-[(4-chlorophenylsulfonyl)-(2,5-difluorophenyl)methyl]pyridine-2-yl]-N-methylamino]ethyl-methylcarbamate (i.e., the compound shown in Example 396), shown on page 631.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.